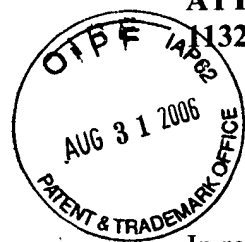


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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

This is a response to the Office Action, mailed June 27, 2006, having a one-month period for reply set to expire on July 27, 2006. As said period has expired, accompanying this request is a petition, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, for a one-month extension of time and the necessary fee, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a).

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